

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN

FARM BUREAU MUTUAL INSURANCE
COMPANY OF MICHIGAN, as subrogee of
Bobbie Hardin,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 1:22-cv-00087

v

Hon. Hala Y. Jarbou

HAIER AMERICA COMPANY, L.L.C., and
HAIER (DALIAN) REFRIGERATOR CO. LTD.,
WANBAO GROUP COMPRESSOR CO., LTD.,
GUANGZHOU SENBAO ELECTRONICAL APPLIANCE CO.,
JOHN DOES 1-5,

Defendants.

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STIPULATED ORDER SETTING ASIDE CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER

This Court entered its case management order September 19, 2022. ECF No. 29, PageID.244. At that time, however, only one of the defendants had been served with the summons and complaint. Three of the defendants were Chinese corporations, and service upon them took several months; service was not accomplished until months after the case management order was entered.

Now the three named Chinese corporate defendants have accepted service, although only two (Haier (Dalian) Refrigerator Co., Ltd. and Wanbao Group Compressor Co.) have filed responsive pleadings. The third Chinese corporate defendant, Guangzhou Senbao Electrical Appliance Co. has accepted service, and the court entered an order granting it until February 6, 2023 to file its responsive

pleadings. Because the Chinese corporate defendants had not been served or filed responsive pleadings until relatively recently (and months after the case management order was entered), the parties agree that the case management order should be set aside and the Court should hold a new status conference at which time a revised case management order can be entered.

NOW THEREFORE, the Case Management Order [ECF No. 29] entered on September 14, 2022 is set aside. The Court shall hold a status conference, and following that conference, enter a new case management order.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

This is not a Final Order and does not resolve the last pending claim and does not close this case.

Dated: _____

HON. HALA Y. JARBOU
U.S. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

Approved for Entry:

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